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Hon. Richard J. Sullivan
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York

Southern Street

New York, New York 10007

February 20, 2008

United States v. Manuel Humberto Gomez (S1) 06 Cr. 507 (RJS)

Dear Judge Sullivan:

This letter is submitted for the purpose of adjourning tomorrow morning's pre-trial conference in this matter for two weeks. The government is not opposed.

The time will permit the parties to continue their ongoing discussions regarding a resolution of this matter without the need for trial. The defense is continuing to turn over business records to the government over the next few days. Accordingly, the lawyers believe that a review of these documents and further discussions can be accomplished within the two-week time-frame requested.

Obviously, we have no objection to the Court excluding the time under the Speedy Trial clock in these circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

HOWARD R LEADER

Conference and oned to March 6, 2008 @ 2000,

cc: Sarah Lai, Esq.,

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SO ORDERED

RICHARD J. SULLIVAN